

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable consideration of this application is respectfully requested.

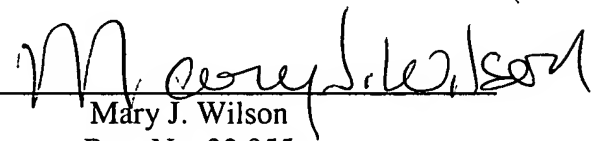
Attached is a computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing submitted February 25, 2005. Entry of the attached Sequence Listing does not raise the issue of new matter as the sequence information contained therein is presented in the application as originally filed. The paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted February 25, 2006 differs from the computer readable copy submitted herewith only from the standpoint of details provided under the heading "General Information". Otherwise, the paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted February 25, 2005 and the computer readable copy submitted herewith are the same.

An early and favorable Action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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